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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
NORIYUKI YAMAMOTO, ET AL. : ATTN: APPLICATION DIVISION
SERIAL NO: NEW U.S. PCT APPLICATION :
(BASED ON PCT/JP03/15925)
FILED: HERewith :
FOR: INFORMATION PROCESSING :
DEVICE AND INFORMATION :
PROCESSING METHOD, :
INFORMATION PROCESSING :
SYSTEM, RECORDING MEDIUM, :
AND PROGRAM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

Prior to a first examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 8 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.